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The Honorable Brian M. Cogan
United States District Court
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Re: United States v. Leonid Roytman
06 Cr 594 (BMC)

Dear Judge Cogan:

I represent defendant Leonid Roytman. At the request of the parties, the court has set this case down for a guilty plea on October 13, 2006, at 3:30 P.M. The defendant and the Government request that the time from today until October 13 be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act in order to give the parties time to prepare and review a plea agreement. Assistant United States Attorney Patricia Notopoulos has authorized me to represent that the Government joins in this application.

Respectfully,

/s/ J Marks

Jonathan Marks

cc: Patricia Notopoulos, Esq.
Assistant United States Attorney